## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

ELAINE CHAO, SECRETARY OF LABOR, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,

Plaintiff,

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Civ. No.: 04 11982 RCL

MODERN CONTINENTAL CONSTRUCTION COMPANY,

Defendant.

## **DEFENDANT'S LOCAL RULE 16.1 CERTIFICATION**

Defendant Modern Continental Construction Co., Inc. (improperly named in the Complaint as "Modern Continental Construction Company") and the undersigned counsel for Defendant, in accordance with Rule 16.1(D)(3) of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts, hereby certify that they have conferred:

- a. with a view to establishing a budget for the cost of conducting the full course and various alternative courses of this litigation; and
- b. to consider the resolution of this case through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs, such as those outlined in Local Rule 16.4.

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Dated: December 28, 2004

Modern Continental Construction Co., Inc.